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APPLICATION NO. 09/762,538

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
EGAN *et al.*) Art Unit: 1646
Application No. 09/762,538) Examiner: Jiang, Dong
Filing Date: July 19, 2001) Confirmation No. 5705
For: DIFFERENTIATION OF NON-INSULIN)
PRODUCING CELLS INTO INSULIN)
PRODUCING CELLS BY GLP-1 OR)
EXTENDIN-4 AND USES THEREOF)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.
Customer Number 36339

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$120.00	(\$ 60.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$450.00	(\$225.00)*
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$1,020.00	(\$510.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,590.00	(\$795.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,160.00	(\$1,080.00)*

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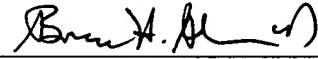
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Respectfully submitted,

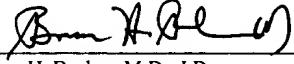
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